

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants	:	Larry B. Gray et al.	Confirmation No.:	5527
Appln. No.	:	09/665,668		
Filed	:	September 20, 2000	Appeal No.	2007-0077
Title	:	AXIALLY FLEXIBLE STENT		
Art Unit	:	3731		
Examiner	:	V.Q. BUI		

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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.